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Latest OPS news release for your awareness.

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Update 5: Weekend Demonstration

(Ottawa)— Throughout the weekend, the Ottawa Police Service and its partners have been actively and patiently managing a well-funded, major demonstration in the downtown core. We have seen multiple cases of disruptive, inappropriate and threatening behaviour from demonstrators. Police are working with organizers to facilitate the safe departure of individuals and vehicles and to ensure safety.

Police are aware that many demonstrators have announced their intention to stay in place. This will continue to cause major traffic, noise and safety issues in the downtown core. We urge all residents to avoid travel to the core.

Police have avoided ticketing and towing vehicle so as not to instigate confrontations with demonstrators. Still, confrontations and the need for de-escalation has regularly been required. Along with the safety issues, costs to businesses and social costs, the Ottawa Police continues to tally the financial costs of the policing costs which are estimated at more than \$800,000 a day.

If you work in the downtown core, please plan to work from home if possible.

Please adjust your plans in the downtown core. If your children attend school in the downtown area, please check with them to see if the school is open tomorrow.

Avoid travel into the downtown core tomorrow.

We are immensely proud of our police members and partners who have worked tirelessly to plan for and manage this demonstration over the past few days under difficult circumstances of extreme cold temperatures and difficult and challenging treatment from some demonstrators.

Public safety remains our number one priority.

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Subject: Update 7: 2022-01-30 -- Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region

Evening everyone,

This will be your last update of the day unless something occurs that warrants us reaching out.

There are less than 200 people reported at this time on Parliament Hill and approximately 150 people on Wellington St. OPS reporting that crowd is in a good mood and are policing themselves.

Demonstrators are walking around advising others not to misbehave.

Our operational center will continue to be running tomorrow to support the resumption of Parliament.

You can expect an update from us in the morning. In the meantime, if you require anything else tonight please do not hesitate to reach out to Jamie Tomlinson or myself directly.

Enjoy the rest of your evening.

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Subject: Update 6: 2022-01-30 -- Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region

Afternoon everyone,

Here's our latest update:

Event Overview:

- Convoys totalling approximately 2950 vehicles have arrived in the NCR. Unknown number of vehicles in the downtown core. **Approximately 750 people reported at this time on Parliament Hill and approximately 300 people on Wellington St. Mood remains positive.**
- Reports of a small convoy coming in from Arnprior, ON (20 vehicles).
- Organizers have indicated that there will be speakers in Confederation Park on 2022-01-31.
- The status of interprovincial bridges is as follows:
 - o MacDonald Cartier has reopened to 2 lanes in each direction;
 - o Alexandra Bridge remains closed;
 - o Portage Bridge is closed in both directions due to demonstrations;
 - o Chaudiere Bridge Southbound is closed; and
 - o Champlain Bridge remains open.

Communications:

- OPS has issued a second media update, shortly after the first, regarding the desecration of the War Memorial investigation, as well as the ongoing threatening/illegal/intimidating behaviour against police officers/city workers and other individuals, which included damage to a city vehicle.
- National Division communications has received two (2) media requests, the first surrounding reports that Nazi symbols are being spray painted on buildings within the Parliamentary Precinct (coordinating a response with PPS, PSPC) and a second request surrounding misinformation that is being reported on crowd/convoy sizes and is being attributed to the RCMP/OPS. For the latter, partners have agreed that details on the size of the demonstrations will only be released once the event has concluded.

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Subject: Update 5: 2022-01-30 -- Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region

Hi everyone,

Here is the latest media update from OPS:

<https://www.ottawapolice.ca/Modules/News/index.aspx?lang=en&newsId=1059aaa8-02c9-4617-8b36-7971c3416d2f>

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Update 4: Weekend Demonstrations

(Ottawa)—This afternoon, a large presence of police continues throughout the downtown core and the movement of protestors and trucks continues to be managed. Emergency lanes are being maintained.

Priorities continue to include:

- Management of traffic issues (including gridlock);
- Keeping peace and order;
- Protecting monuments; and
- Addressing threatening and/or high risk behaviour.

This work is resource intensive, and police resources are fully stretched and fully engaged.

Public safety remains the top priority for police, City crews and emergency services.

Police and City staff are very aware of the complaints relating to parking, idling, noisemaking and other inappropriate behaviour. At this time, due to safety concerns, management of the protest and traffic must take precedence.

However, these matters are being responded to as soon as resources become available. Police continue to respond to calls for service throughout the city.

Throughout the remainder of the day and into the evening, focus will shift to implementation of egress and traffic approaches that move crowds and vehicles out of the downtown core. This will require a significant number of police and city resources.

Police have already begun working to facilitate the departure of individuals who are wanting to leave the area.

For more traffic information, view City traffic cameras at traffic.ottawa.ca, follow the city's traffic management tool @Ottawa_Traffic or use a traffic monitoring app like Google or Waze to check for traffic congestion before you travel.

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Subject: Update 4: 2022-01-30 -- Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region

Hello again,

A few more updates:

Event Overview:

§ **Convoys totalling approximately 2950 vehicles have arrived in the NCR. Unknown number of vehicles in the downtown core. Approximately 1000 people reported at this time on Parliament Hill and approximately 2000 people on Wellington St. Mood remains positive. Pedestrian traffic is continuing to build.**

§ Farfadaa group currently marching towards Ottawa. Approximately 300 people approaching Portage Bridge area.

§ Heavy traffic on Kent St. Truckers on this street are growing increasingly frustrated that the OPS have blocked the road. Convoy blocked off at Queen St.

- Every Child Matter activists currently at Confederation Park. They have informed liaison teams that they will be installing 12 teepees at some point.

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Subject: Update 3: 2022-01-30 -- Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region

Hi everyone,

Haven't sent an update in a little bit.....that should be interpreted as good news as all is peaceful.

Here's the latest for your awareness.

Event Overview:

§ **Convoys totalling approximately 2950 vehicles have arrived in the NCR. Unknown number of vehicles in the downtown core. Approximately 100-200 people reported at this time on Parliament Hill and approximately 200-250 people on Wellington St. Mood remains positive. Pedestrian traffic is continuing to build.**

§ OPS advised of a new convoy travelling to the NCR from Arnprior, ON. Convoy contains approximately 50-70 vehicles.

§ Chaudiere Bridge is closed but remains the point of entry into the NCR for essential workers coming from Quebec.

§ Some trucks are trying to leave the downtown core and police are working with the organizers.

§ OPP reports that a demonstrator has collapsed in front of the stage on Parliament Hill. Medic is on route and police are on the scene.

- Other Events:

o British Columbia:

§ Terrace, BC: Approximately 150 passenger and commercial vehicles participated in a peaceful rally that was held yesterday.

o Nova Scotia:

§ As of 0800hrs on 2022-01-30, Hwy #104 has reopened. The small group of protestors on the NB side, has decided to return to their communities. Protestors in Amherst have also returned to their communities.

Communications:

- OPS issued a news release at 0810 hrs providing an update on the events last night. They mentioned that crowds remained in the downtown core through the evening and were actively managed by police. Officers encountered several challenges with demonstrators, including sporadic road blockages by trucks which were cleared. These high risks situations were de-escalated and resolved with no arrests being made.

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A few quick updates for your awareness:

Event Overview:

- § Convoys totalling approximately 2950 vehicles have arrived in the NCR. Unknown number of vehicles in the downtown core. **Approximately a dozen protestors reported at this time on Parliament Hill. Mood remains positive. Foot traffic in the downtown core is picking up again.**
- § OPS reporting individual actions over night resulted in a broken window to a City of Ottawa heavy vehicle and the displacement of Ottawa paramedics from the downtown core, for their safety.
- § Trucks are trying to get around the City of Ottawa heavy vehicles that are blocking roads downtown.
- § Alexandria and Portage bridges remain closed to traffic coming into the NCR.

Operational Information:

- According to a Facebook post, the group Faradaa are expected to meet at the intersection of Laval and Laurier St. at 1100hrs. The group is planning a march to Parliament Hill. The expected number of participants remains unconfirmed at this time.
- A Twitter post was located, which made reference to the following three scheduled events for today:
 - o 1100hrs- Church service on Parliament Hill
 - o 1100hrs- March from 1 Nicholas St. to Parliament Hill led by PPC leader Maxime Bernier
 - o Afternoon- Press Conference by organizers (event time and location TBD)

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Good morning everyone,

Here's the latest situational update. Please that that since all convoys have arrived, we are no longer highlighting updated data in red. The totality of Sit Reps moving forward will include new information.

Event Overview:

- § Convoys totalling approximately 2950 vehicles have arrived in the NCR.
Unknown number of vehicles in the downtown core.
- § Nil protestors reported at this time on Parliament Hill.
- § OPS reported minor traffic issues caused by truck/protestor vehicles
double/triple stacking on the roads (Metcalf and Elgin towards Wellington St). Blockages were cleared throughout the course of the evening.
- § Jersey pillars have been placed on the perimeter of the War Memorial.
- § Reports of protestors harassing the staff at the Shepherds of Good Hope (230 block of Murray St.) while seeking meals from the soup kitchen.

Operational Information:

- A post was shared to the Canada Unity page 9 hours ago which reads "So we want to prove to Justin Trudeau that we're not a FRINGE minority. We're preparing the '2nd Wave Convoy' getting ready to head to Ottawa."
- PPC leader Maxime BERNIER is expected to speak on Parliament Hill today at 1200hrs.

Communications:

- There continues to be a high level of media attention on the protest (approximately 89 news articles this morning), which includes domestic and international coverage.
- Former POTUS Trump spoke at a rally in Conroe, TX and mentioned the Canadian truckers. A Tweet posted last evening at 2101hrs states " President Trump sends a message to the Canadian truckers: 'We are with them all the way!'" A video is linked to the Tweet. In the video, Trump says: "The Canadian truckers, you've been reading about. Who are resisting, bravely, these lawless mandates are doing more to defend American freedom than our own leaders by far. And want those great Canadian truckers to know that we are with them all the way. They are.. they've really shown something.". The video has been viewed more than 27.4k times.
- International media coverage continue to increase, with the comments made by former POTUS Trump last night. Al-Jazeera and the New York Times continue to cover this story.
- Hashtags on Twitter associated with the demo do not appear to be trending as much, with the exception of some that are negative towards the protest activity.
- One media request was received this morning from Radio-Canada asking if the RCMP had any incidents to report from overnight.

- OPS issued a News Release this morning summarizing the events throughout the evening and reminding residents/visitors to refrain from travelling to the downtown core.

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OPS issued the attached release. Forwarded for your awareness.

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